# REGULATION No. IX OF 1901.

(PASSED ON THE 10TH DAY OF DECEMBER 1901.)

***A Regulation to amend the Mysore Forest Regulation, 1900.***

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Mysore Forest Regulation, 1900, Her Highness the Maharani-Regent is pleased to enact as follows :— Preamble.

**1.** (1) This Regulation may be called the Mysore Forest (Amendment) Regulation, 1901 ; and Short title.

(2) It shall come into force at once. Commencement.

**2.** From section 29 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, 1900, the words " demanding his aid " shall be omitted before clause (*a*), and after clause (*b*) the following shall be inserted, namely :— Amendment of section 29 of Regulation XI of 1900.

" and shall assist any Forest or Police Officer demanding his aid—

**3.** After section 36 of the said Regulation, the following sections shall be inserted, namely :— Insertion of sections 36A and 36B.

" 36A. Whenever fire is caused wilfully or by gross negligence in any land placed under special protection under clause (iii) of section 35, the Government may (notwithstanding the infliction of any punishment under this Regulation) direct that in such land, or any specified portion thereof, the exercise of all or any rights of pasture or to forest produce shall, for such period as it thinks fit, be suspended." "Suspension of rights in cases of fires caused wilfully or by gross negligence."

" 36B. Every person who exercises any right in any land placed under special protection under clause (iii) of section 35 or who is permitted to take any forest produce from, or to cut and remove timber or to pasture cattle in, such land, and every person who is employed by any such person in such land, and every village officer or person in any village contiguous to such land who is employed by Government, shall be bound to furnish without unnecessary delay to the nearest Forest officer or Police officer any information he may possess respecting the occurrence of fire in or near such land or the commission of, or intention to commit any forest offence, and shall assist any Forest or Police officer— Persons bound to assist Forest officer and Police officer"

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(*a*) in extinguishing any fire occurring in such land,

(*b*) in preventing any fire which may occur in the vicinity of such land from spreading into such land,

and shall assist any Forest or Police officer demanding his aid--

(*c*) in preventing the commission in such land of any forest offence, and

(*d*) when there is reason to believe that any such offence has been committed in such land, in discovering and arresting the offender."